

ALL RESIDENTS OF THE GLADES TRADE AREA AND SURROUNDING TERRITORY ELIGIBLE TO ENTER

"EVERYBODY WINS" TRADE EXPANSION CAMPAIGN

Johns Carries Glades; Second In County Elliott Loses 27 Precincts, Lacking 1180 Votes For The Majority To Win

The Ins Stay In On Two County Commission Jobs Dickinson Wins In House

Knight Unseats Howell As
North Glades School
Board Member

Dap McCarty's friends in Palm Beach County pushed Senator Collins at the head of the parade for the Governor's job; road and bridge-building jobs came along second; the Talkington originator, from Sanford came in a losing third.

The glue that has kept a legislator on a seat in Tallahassee has been wanted up to that the further job of removing him look practicable; the INS have been kept on the County Commission and Buddy Dickinson is an all-county representative, carrying 55 of the 37 precincts.

Mr. Elliott's opponents took 24 of the precincts and tied in two of them.

Mr. Elliott received a majority in only fourteen precincts and a change in five of those of less than 5% would switch the result; a switch of 10% in eight would change the result.

If the voters in Pahokee who



CHARLIE JOHN

The two remaining candidates, there is a difference of only eleven votes in the Glades between John and the Senator, 937 for John and 926 for the Senator.

Buddy Dickinson received a majority of the Glades votes—801 to 817.

With the 1255-head sales day Monday, it equaled the second largest sales day of record at the local livestock market, with slaughter animals a bit lower, but with stockers steady to strong.

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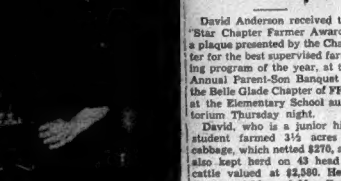
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Jesse Motes Heads Legion Full Slate For Coming Year

At its annual election Tuesday night, Jesse Motes was elected Commander for the year beginning in June.

A report by N. B. Willis, Finance Officer, disclosed that the full return from the Everglades Fair amounted to approximately \$4,000 and that all outstanding bills have been paid, including payments on the Hall itself, with approximately \$900.00 in accounts receivable which the board of directors have voted to use to make full.

(Continued on Page Eight)

1472 Cattle Sold This Week To Top Market's Record

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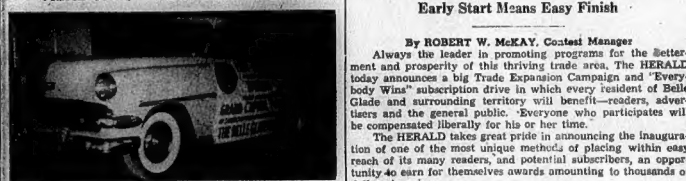
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John Schlechter, senior, was presented a \$25 War Bond by Charles Bolton from the Belle Glade Motors, for the most outstanding farm mechanics project of the year in Palm Beach County, in the Ford Farm (Continued on Page Eight)

CHEVROLET "BEL-AIR" SEDAN WORTH \$242.20 HEADS FOR LIST OF BG PRIZES

HERE IT IS—MAKE IT YOURS



Here is the magnificent new 1954 Chevrolet "Bel-Air" 4-door, six passenger sedan valued at \$242.20, to be awarded as grand capital prize in the Belle Glade "Everybody Wins" prize subscription contest announced today. Read complete details of this interesting and highly profitable contest, open to local people of the Glades area, then make up your mind quickly to share in the distribution of more than \$5,000 in attractive prizes offered. Car purchased and on display in the showroom of Glades Chevrolet Company, 261 Main Street, Belle Glade.

SPECIAL PRIZES FIRST WEEK

Just to start the ball rolling, so to speak, and as a little added incentive to prompt action on the part of those who intend to participate in The Belle Glade Herald subscription contest, this newspaper will award 20 SPECIAL prizes consisting of \$25 cash to aggressive "early starters" making the best showing up to and including Saturday night, May 15.

These special cash prizes are in addition to the regular 20 per cent commission, but a minimum of \$100 in subscription collections (both new and renewal) is necessary to qualify for a special prize, and, after all, this is a comparatively small amount and easily obtainable.

Then, too, there's still another \$25 cash prize on top of the above offer to be given for extra effort and substantial results obtained during the first week of the contest—also easily obtainable—as more fully outlined in the big two-page announcement elsewhere in this issue. It is easily possible, therefore, for everyone to earn \$100.00 in cash, or even more, during his or her very first week in the contest, while at the same time accumulating a big total of votes toward winning one of the major awards.

Melvin Goss Dies Following Accident While At His Work

Black grief settled over the South Shore Plantation Tuesday afternoon at 3:45 o'clock, when tragically struck without warning, Melvin Goss, service man, had been oiling the hotel house and jumped out the rear door directly into the path of a high speed rubber tired tractor pulling a cane train.

Goss, 32 years of age, was struck down and run over by the tractor and cane wagon, killed instantly. He was a native of Cordele, Ga., had come to Belle Glade last July and had been employed at the South Bay and South Shore Plantations throughout the season. He was a cousin of James Jackson, field superintendent of the South S. H. plantation.

He is survived by his wife, Mary Goss, parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hargle Goss of Cordele, Ga.

The Fuch Funeral Home at Cleveiston is in charge of local arrangements. The body will be returned to Cordele for final services and burial.

Rites Held Sunday For Mrs. E. Farr

Funeral services for Mrs. Ethel Farr, 94, who died Friday about 1 pm of a heart attack at Belle Glade Memorial Hospital, were held Sunday at 10:00 am at the Everglades Presbyterian Church with Rev. Robert Ford officiating.

Mrs. Farr was found unconscious at her home on Friday and rushed to the hospital, but died shortly after arrival.

A native of Michigan, she had lived in Belle Glade from Detroit 11 years ago and was a bookkeeper at the Glades Chevrolet Co. She was a member of the Presbyterian Church and the local Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors are two daughters, Mrs. E. End S. End

Com.	Wk. Sec.	Wk. Sec.
Cabbage	23	455
Carrots	0	4
Celery	0	360
Collards	0	120
Corn	63	553
Escarole	0	30
Lettuce	0	0
Mis. Vegs.	7	179
Peppers	0	3
Potatoes	11	31
Radishes	0	0
Romaine	0	0
Spinach	0	0
Squash	0	0
Total	105	1729

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Weekly Pay Checks For All Active Participants— Early Start Means Easy Finish

By ROBERT W. McKAY, Contest Manager

Always the leader in promoting programs for the betterment and prosperity of this thriving trade area, The Herald today announces a big Trade Expansion Campaign and "Everybody Wins" subscription drive in which every resident of Belle Glade and surrounding territory will benefit—readers, advertisers and the general public. Everyone who participates will be compensated liberally for his or her time.

The Herald takes great pride in announcing the inauguration of one of the most unique methods of placing within easy reach of its many readers, and potential subscribers, an opportunity to earn for themselves awards amounting to thousands of dollars in prizes.

This great prize-giving event gets underway today as the Herald announces a six and one-half week subscription campaign with the most interesting and attractive prizes ever offered in this section of Florida.

A new 1954 Chevrolet "Bel-Air" 4-door, six passenger car worth \$242.20 and \$750 cash are to be awarded the two top contestants at the close of the contest, Saturday noon, June 16.

These two prizes alone should be sufficient reason for those interested to enter the contest quickly, but to make things all the more attractive, four big bonus awards will go to the third, fourth, fifth and sixth place winning contestants.

Nor is that all! A veritable shower of money in the form of special prizes and weekly pay-checks are yours for the asking. All of these prizes are being offered to anyone residing in the Palm Beach and Hendry County area who is willing to cooperate with the Herald in this short snappy drive.

Our slogan "Everybody Wins" is one of the outstanding features of this unique contest is the fact that there will be no losers as a cash commission of 20 percent (20 out of every \$100 collected from either new or renewal subscribers) will be paid each week to active participants, all in accordance with the contest rules.

Last rites and burial were held in Cross City, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Riedel, Belle Glade and one sister, Mrs. Elbert Notten, Brooklyn, Michigan.

Honorary Palbearers were L. L. Price, Doug Woolen, Charles Henry, B. Pelka, Bruce Williams, Hugh J. Bradley, Peter LaChance and Tom Chappell.

Active pallbearers were Paul Kirkham, Louis Kirkham, Ed Kikowsky, M. M. Sabiston and J. Hodgson.

Wetherington Funeral Home in Belle Glade was in charge of arrangements.

District Contest Of FFA Here Today

The District Contest of Future Farmers of America will be held today at the High School Auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Riedel, Belle Glade Chapter, soft ball team under the supervision of Sam Lovell, instructor of Agriculture, will compete with other teams here today.

Others winning teams from schools in the district will compete in horse shows, parliamentary procedure, oratorical contests and the FFA sweethearts winners will compete for the district crown.

Little League Play At South Bay Friday

Little League Teams will play at South Bay Friday night starting at 6:15 pm. The South Bay baseball diamond is in good shape and there is a refreshment stand for your convenience.

Little League team standing to date are as follows:

Team	W	L	T
South Bay Lions	3	1	1
Belle Glade Lions	2	1	1
Elks	1	1	0
Bakers	0	4	0

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NEWS OF GLADES BOYS AND GIRLS IN THE SERVICE

Sgt. Paul D. Rader (left) of Belle Glade, Pa., and Sgt. Herbert Kemp of Pahokee, Fla., check their work at Fort Bragg, N. C., where Executive Flash Burn is undergoing. The maneuver includes the tactical use of atomic weapons. Both soldiers are technicians in the 57th Signal Detachment Company, Sergeant Rader, 21, whose parents live at 1056 Banners Ct., Reading, entered the Army in 1950 and is a veteran of service in the Far East.

His wife, Doris, lives in Wernersville, Pa. Sergeant Kemp, 25, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie H. Kemp of Pahokee is a veteran of seven years' Army duty.

Both Campbell, Ky. Cpl. Ernest L. Nolan, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Nolan of Chosen, Ky. (Continued on Page Five)



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Elks To Observe Mother's Day With Special Services

August Kirkham, Chairman announces that one of the obligatory mother observances in Elksdom—Mother's Day—will be held at the Home on Sunday afternoon at two o'clock, and that the public is invited to attend.

Miss Marian Najarian will be in charge of the musical program, with the Honorable Paul Rardin to deliver the address of the day.

August reminds Elks that this observance is a part of Elksdom's activities to which all Elks have pledged themselves to participate in, if at all practicable.

PAR-TEE LINE

Country Club of the Everglades
Reservations
by Kathleen Harrington

The Belle Glade golfers romped over the Delray Beach golf Monday on the local course with a score of 29 1/2 to 4 1/2. Since this is the first win in the last matches played our gals should be proud of themselves.

Following are individual scores with Belle Glade listed first: (Continued on Page Two)



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Inaugurates Glades Area

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BIG "Everybody Wins" PRIZE

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Subscription Contest

WEEKLY PAY CHECKS

AS LARGE AS YOU WANT TO MAKE THEM
NOW BEING OFFERED BY THIS NEWSPAPER

CONTEST
Officially Opens
Wednesday Morning
May 12th

Subscriptions may be taken any time following this announcement.

CONTEST
Officially Closes
Saturday Noon
June 26th

Just a few short weeks to win prizes and commissions worth thousands of dollars

and at the same time, an opportunity to share in the distribution of more than \$5,000 in prizes to be awarded in a short Six-And-A-Half Week SUBSCRIPTION CAMPAIGN Just Starting

Competition is open to men and women, married or single, and young people of the more ambitious sort residing in the Glades Area and the surrounding territory, it costs absolutely nothing to try, and as all participants are guaranteed liberal compensation for every effort expended, you positively cannot lose. Read this announcement carefully—every word of it, then clip the coupons on adjoining page and send them in for yourself or friend. Remember a good start is the battle half won.

BE THE FIRST TO
START AND THE
FIRST TO FINISH

SPECIAL CASH
PRIZES FOR THE
FIRST WEEK

GRAND CAPITAL PRIZE

NOW YOU CAN WIN! EASY

CAR PURCHASED FROM AND
NOW ON DISPALY AT
Glades Chevrolet Company
201 - 209 South Main
Belle Glade Florida



Extra Added Equipment To This
This Truly Luxury Automobile In-
cludes POWER GLIDE, WHITE SIDE-
WALL TIRES, RADIO And Is Finish-
ed In That Excitingly New TWO
TONE TURQUOISE BLUE.
A Small Fortune Indeed.

Chevrolet "Bel-Air" 4-Door 6 Passenger Sedan Valued At \$2420.20
\$750 Cash---Second Grand Prize---\$750 Cash

EXTRA CASH BONUS AWARDS FOR "PLACE" WINNERS

Third **Weekly Payroll** Winner

In addition to regular "Weekly Payroll" checks, winner of third place will receive extra "bonus" check for 20% of his or her total earnings added.

Fourth **Weekly Payroll** Winner

In addition to regular "Weekly Payroll" checks, winner of fourth place will receive extra "bonus" check for 15% of his or her total earnings added.

Fifth **Weekly Payroll** Winner

In addition to regular "Weekly Payroll" checks, winner of fifth place will receive extra "bonus" check for 10% of his or her total earnings added.

Sixth **Weekly Payroll** Winner

In addition to regular "Weekly Payroll" checks, winner of sixth place will receive extra "bonus" check for 5% of his or her total earnings added.



\$1,000

Has been set aside to be distributed in the form of commissions among non-prize winners on a twenty per cent basis. Any active participant who fails to win one of the prizes or bonus checks offered will share in this commission feature . . . Thus assuring compensation to all participants, and means there will be no losers in this race! For information, call, telephone, or write "Everybody Wins" Contest Dept., 425 South Main St. or Telephone 2056.



\$1,000

Win Special Cash Prizes Offered for "Early Effort" During First Week of Contest SEE DETAILS BELOW

Earn \$50 \$75 \$100 Cash Easily During Your Very First Week By Taking Advantage Of Liberal Special Offers Outlined Below

All To Gain--Nothing To Lose--There Will Be No Losers!

Everybody Wins

Rules and Regulations

- Any reputable resident of this city or surrounding territory is eligible to enter the contest and compete for prizes and receive weekly commensurate checks.
- No salaried office employees but this newspaper is eligible to enter contest. This does not apply to country correspondents.
- Winners of main prizes will be determined by (a) their earned votes, and (b) votes being represented by ballots issued for home side new and renewal subscriptions, and (c) free coupons issued to the newspaper—said coupons to be printed in this and our next three issues in denomination of 100 votes each this and next week; 50 votes each third week, 10 votes each fourth week and then discontinued. No more than ten coupons of each denomination will be credited to any one contestant.
- Participants in this subscription drive are not confined to their own towns or communities in which to secure new or renewal subscriptions, but may take orders anywhere in this section; or, for that matter, anywhere else.
- Votes are issued free. It costs the subscriber nothing extra to cast their vote for the contest. Votes must be asked for at the time of paying subscription, however, otherwise subscriber waives this privilege.
- Votes once issued are not transferable. Contestants cannot pool their votes in favor of another contestant. Should a contestant withdraw from the race, his or her accumulated votes will be cancelled.
- Any dishonesty or collusion on the part of contestants to nullify competition, or any other combination formed to the detriment of other participants or this newspaper, will be considered a forfeiture of the contest.
- Exact vote standing of each contestant will be published in this newspaper in proportion to earned votes; however, votes issued in the form of ballots, or special votes therefor, may be held in reserve by contestant only insofar as it does not affect position in published standing. The free vote coupon, clipped from this newspaper, must be cast within one week of publication.
- In event of a tie for any one of the prizes offered, an award of identical value will be given each tying contestant.
- Participants in this drive are authorized to accept new and renewal subscriptions and give primary receipts for same (official receipts will be sent direct from this office) but it is understood and agreed that they will be responsible for all money collected and will remit such amounts in full to the contest department on regular report days.
- No statements or promises made by any representative or participant varying from the rules and regulations appearing in the columns of this newspaper will be recognized by the publisher.
- In case of typographical or other error it is understood that neither the publisher nor contest manager shall be held responsible except to make necessary correction upon discovery of same.
- All active participants will be paid twenty percent cash commission (\$1 out of \$5) of their individual subscription collections each week as it accrues. It is to be understood, however, that in the event any contestant becomes inactive (failing to make weekly reports) his or her name will be removed from the published list of contestants until such time as participant again becomes active.
- It is understood and agreed that the winners of first and second prizes will consider their weekly pay checks in the light of an "advance," which are returnable upon presentation of prize—thus obtaining double compensation. This does not apply to third, fourth, fifth and sixth bonus check winners.
- To insure absolute fairness in the awarding of prizes, the race will be brought to a close with a sealed ballot box. During the entire last "period" of the drive, a ballot box—locked and officially sealed—will be placed in the vaults of a local bank, where contestants themselves may deposit their final collections and reserve votes in utmost secrecy. In this way no one—not even the publisher or contest manager—can possibly know the actual strength of the various participants, which precludes any possibility of favoritism and insures fairness to the minutest degree.
- Twenty-five thousand extra votes will be given contestants for each 8-year subscription (or extension from previous contest subscription payment to 8-years) turned in by them during their first week in contest, and during third week of the drive half as many special extra votes will be issued.
- Any subscription one turned in can be extended during either first or second "period" by making extension payment, and remainder of vote will be issued thereon same as if full amount had been paid at the very beginning.
- Any contestant who earns as much as \$50 in commissions during their first week of the drive, will receive an extra bonus of \$35 cash in addition to regular commissions earned or any other special prize won.
- Ten thousand free "report day" votes will be given participants making a subscription report on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays during drive.
- This newspaper guarantees fair and impartial treatment to all participants, but should any question arise, the decision of the Advisory Board will be absolute and final.
- In becoming a member of this "Everybody Wins" subscription drive contestants agree to abide by above condition.

- 16A. Where 8 year subscription appears in article 16A it should read 7 years.
22. Double schedule of votes granted on new subscriptions during first two periods of contest only.

HERE'S HOW WINNING VOTES ARE OBTAINED

DOUBLE VOTES DURING FIRST TWO PERIODS OF CONTEST

Schedule of Votes and

Subscription Rates of

THE BELLE GLADE HERALD

First Period (Ending June 5)

During first 3 1/2 weeks of contest the following number of votes will be issued on subscriptions:

1 Year \$ 3.00	3,000
2 Years \$ 5.75	6,000
4 Years \$12.00	12,000

Second Period (Ending June 10)

During next two weeks the following votes will be issued on subscriptions:

1 Year \$ 3.00	3,000
2 Years \$ 5.75	6,000
4 Years \$12.00	12,000

Third Period (Ending June 20)

During last week of contest the following votes will be issued on subscriptions:

1 Year \$ 3.00	1,500
2 Years \$ 5.75	4,000
4 Years \$12.00	10,000

The above schedule of votes, when published, will not be changed during the contest. However, a special ballot, good for double EXTRA votes, will be issued on every "report day" of 8, 14, 21, 28, 35, 42, 49, 56, 63, 70, 77, 84, 91, 98, 105, 112, 119, 126, 133, 140, 147, 154, 161, 168, 175, 182, 189, 196, 203, 210, 217, 224, 231, 238, 245, 252, 259, 266, 273, 280, 287, 294, 301, 308, 315, 322, 329, 336, 343, 350, 357, 364, 371, 378, 385, 392, 399, 406, 413, 420, 427, 434, 441, 448, 455, 462, 469, 476, 483, 490, 497, 504, 511, 518, 525, 532, 539, 546, 553, 560, 567, 574, 581, 588, 595, 602, 609, 616, 623, 630, 637, 644, 651, 658, 665, 672, 679, 686, 693, 700, 707, 714, 721, 728, 735, 742, 749, 756, 763, 770, 777, 784, 791, 798, 805, 812, 819, 826, 833, 840, 847, 854, 861, 868, 875, 882, 889, 896, 903, 910, 917, 924, 931, 938, 945, 952, 959, 966, 973, 980, 987, 994, 1001, 1008, 1015, 1022, 1029, 1036, 1043, 1050, 1057, 1064, 1071, 1078, 1085, 1092, 1099, 1106, 1113, 1120, 1127, 1134, 1141, 1148, 1155, 1162, 1169, 1176, 1183, 1190, 1197, 1204, 1211, 1218, 1225, 1232, 1239, 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Lack Of Money, Jobs, Inadequate Social Security Pensions Biggest Problems For People Over 65 Today

By Kenneth Fink, Director, Princeton Research Service

One of the most important problems facing the nation today is that of taking care of

today, the United States Poll this month asked a representative cross-section of the nation's adult citizens:

"Among people 65 years of age and older that you know, what would you say is their biggest problem?"

Results of the survey show

three problems uppermost on American people's minds at the present time:

1. Money: Not getting money to live on; not enough money; necessary to find a job; economic problems; need more money (65% named it)
2. Getting work: Finding a job; employers opposed to employing older people; getting a job if physically able to work; fear of losing their jobs; hard to get work; can't get jobs (27% mentioned)
3. Social security payments not big enough; Not enough social security to take care of them; can't live on pensions; social security is inadequate; should be permitted to earn more; pensions not big enough (16% named it)

Next most important problems facing older people today, judging by the number of mentions are these:

4. Lack of security; security; don't feel secure; the insecurity.
5. Keeping busy; being occupied; finding something to do with their time; not enough to do.
6. Housing; need for decent living quarters.
7. Sickness and medical expenses; sickness; doctor bills; getting proper medical attention at a minimum cost; no one wants to take care of them when ill; hospitals too crowded.
8. High cost of living; getting enough to live on; money cut in half with today's prices; getting enough to eat.
9. Some one to care for and want them; no one wants to care for them; no one wants them.
10. Problem of adjusting themselves to a new way of life; personality adjustment; loneliness; too early retirement while still capable; lack of hobbies and interests; lack of friends; and the need for clubs for older people also received some mention.

Following are some typical comments that sum up the thinking of many of the nation's citizens:

Getting enough money to live on is the biggest problem facing older people today.

Old people need and must have security.

Getting work and being occupied are the things older people need most.

They don't get enough money from social security.

The biggest problem will always be money.

Not being able to work when they are able to.

Adequate medical attention at a minimum cost.

Keeping themselves occupied.

Social security payments aren't big enough.

Finding a secure place where they can be at home.

Getting a living wage; being able to make enough to live.

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TWO BOYS HONORED

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Mechanics contest.

Honorary Chapter farming degrees were conferred on the advisory Council, Paul Kirchman, Walter Schlechter and Mrs. Ruth Timmona, for advice and aid to the vocational agricultural program.

Frank Hobson introduced guest speaker, Joe Norfleet, supervisor of vocational agriculture of Dade County. He stressed the value of having the proper equipment to teach the boys and the importance of the advisory board, outstanding women and men farmers of the community, to the agricultural program.

"The boys showed value of interest in their ag work," Mr. Norfleet stated, "which increases interest in academic work." He also stated that Belle Glade has the possibilities of being the outstanding agricultural department of the United States.

Among the guests who were introduced by Walter Mosley were Howell Watkins, County School Superintendent; H. O. Easwood, A. Q. Howell, Canal Point; Mrs. Elizabeth Hand, Delray Beach; A. R. Harrington, Canal Point.

Others introduced were friends of the Chapter who had given aid and help to the agricultural program.

Sam Lovell, agricultural instructor at the High School and advisor to the FFA boys deserves a lot of credit for the success of the project which the FFA have had this year.

Approximately 300 persons attended the banquet.

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ture payments with.

Among the items taken care of by the funds is the \$200 necessary to field a Junior League baseball team.

Mr. Willis concluded his report by stating that he thought the membership would be pleased to know that the Legion is in better financial shape than it has been since the building of the Legion Home.

Other offices filled at the election are as follows: First Vice Commander, Morris Coleman, Second Vice Commander, Eddie Crosby, Finance Officer, W. C. Young, Chaplain, Curtis Shide, Historian, Hymie Pearlman, Sgt.-at-Arms, Junior Dean, Assistant Sergeant, James Anderson.

To the Executive Committee were named the following for the term indicated, Ralph Freeman and Homer Brooks, three years; Billy Eggleston, two years; Earl York, two years; Thomas Baker and J. B. Jones, one year.

NEGRO NEWS

EVERGLADES VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

NFA News

A committee of officers and members have been appointed by the president, Hoover Tolbert, to work with the advisor in making up the chapter accomplishment report. The persons elected are as follows: Willie Vereen, Roy Harris, Willie J. Barber, Willie Reese, and George Kingsley. This committee will secure information from the individual project record books concerning both improved and productive enterprises and make a unit. Summary to be completed in the 1953-54 accomplishment report.

Several members have been selected to participate in various activities that will come off in the State District Contest that will be held in Barlow, Florida, Saturday, May 15.

1. In the NFA quiz contest—Willie J. Barber and David Kindall.

2. Horse Shoe pitching—Clarence Brown and Willie Vereen.

3. Broad Jumping—David Kindall and Roy Harris.

Two members have been

selected to act as delegates to the State NFA Convention that convenes at Florida A and M University, June 2-4.

Earnest Harvey and Robert O'Neal. These two boys are receiving the needed instruction to serve their local chapter in the capacity the State officials request each chapter to carry out during this annual event.

Glee Club Activities

This Everglades Vocational High School Glee Club members made their first appearance in their beautiful new purple robes and gold stoles at the Junior Red Cross Camp's Sunrise service on Sunday morning, April 28, 1954 at 7:00 a.m. The Glee Club received many compliments for its rendition of "Heavenly Love Abiding," "Cherubim Song," and "Listen to the Lambs." After the service, members enjoyed a delicious breakfast along with the Junior Red Cross Campers and their sponsors.

On Wednesday, April 28, the Glee Club presented its annual chapel program. Ten selections were rendered, including the following:

"As Torrents in Summer" Longfellow and Elgar; "I Want to be Happy" Youmans and Warnick; "Shining Water" McCarthy; "Rockin' Jerusalem" Scott; "Soon—Ah Will Be Done" Dawson; "Battle Hymn of the Republic" arr. by Ringwald.

The solos were rendered by Earl Shing, Leola Miller, and Christine McCants, who also assisted as student directress.

The Glee Club will appear as guests of the Palm Beach County Elementary Music Festival on Tuesday, May 6 at the Lake Shore Elementary School, during the judges retirement. The Glee Club is under the direction of Mrs. Fannie P. Souzis.

Honor Roll

The following named persons made the honor roll for the fifth six weeks period:

Senior List — Mims, Leuvon; Thompson, Mary; Ocar; Lee, Ester; Pompa; Bernice; Howard, Carrie M.; Hail; Florence; Polcom, Willie R.; Tolbert, Hoover; Tucker; Robert; Jones, William; Taylor; Betty; Hart, Laura; Williams; Davis; Oate; Eddie D.; Battle; James; Coleman, Johnny P.; Savall, Francis; Mays, Johnny; Vereen, Willis; Forchion, James; Eagleton, Margaret; Holloway,

anle; Kerr, Mary F.; King, King; Foster, Vaughn; Goo, Annie R.; McCants, Christine; Parmore, Eddie; Harris, Anne P.; Manderville, Effie; Morris, Freddie; White, Catherine.

Junior High School — Stephens, Patricia; Perry, Joseph; White, Betty Ann; McCoullage, Maudie; Wright, Lillie; Morris, John P.; Shuler, Mendell; George, Bessie; Kerr, Robert; Mims, Florence; George, Genevieve; Barr, William; Williams, Viola; Savall, Harold; Williams, Dorothy; Lockett, Henry; Allen, James; Small, James; Harrell, Louise; Thibault, Gerline; Cato, Barbara; Sherrod, Marion; Hamford, Dorothy; Pearson, Young; Milligan, Earl; Southwright, Freddie; Lockett, Melvin.

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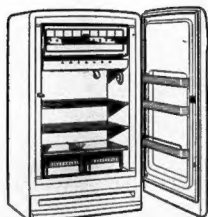
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SOUTH BAY BEAN CITY LAKE HARBOR

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hartwell visited their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blackwell in Orlando on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Clinard and her son, Sgt. Douglas Langley were the Sunday guests of his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clinard at South Shore Plantation. Sgt. Langley has just returned from 2 years service in Korea with the Air Force and will be stationed in Oklahoma on expiration of his furlough.

Miss June Ratley, Mrs. E. E. Hardy and three children of Lakeland visited in Clewiston Saturday and spent the weekend as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Williams.

S/Sgt. Don Barstow, Lawson Air Force Base, Fort Benning, Ga., Miss Ruth Barstow and Miss Catherine Alan of Denver, Colorado, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barstow and son Tommy of St. Louis, Mo., are expected the last of the week for a few days visit with their mother, Mrs. G. J. Barstow.

Mrs. Eric D. Hartline has returned from a month's visit with relatives at Round Mountain, Alabama.

Mrs. F. E. Cline has returned to her home in Arcadia after a visit with her son Frank Cline.

Robert E. Browning, federal fresh fruit and vegetable inspector, left Monday for Tampa where he will be stationed for the present.

Ronald Martin and Miss Ann Driggers spent Sunday in Fort Myers. Donald visited his

brother, W. F. Martin and family while Ann visited her brother, Jesse Driggers and family.

Miss Maxine Walker and Miss Marlene Walker of Miami spent the weekend here with their mother, Mrs. Edna Walker.

Joe Wall, severely injured in an explosion last week, is reported recovering at the Belle Glade Hospital. His three brothers, Elmer, Floyd and Christine, all of Axtell, White of Douglas, Ga., his sister, Mrs. Geraldine Garner of Jacksonville and sister, Christine White of Axtell, Ga., visited him last week and have returned to their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Martin and grandchildren, Dolores and Patsy visited relatives in Miami Sunday and enjoyed an outing at the park.

Mrs. Alfred Vadatz has returned home from the Belle Glade Hospital convalescent from her recent illness.

Mrs. L. H. Rosendahl, Ronnie and Stevie of Naples visited her mother, Mrs. C. A. Armstrong, and sister, Mrs. Frank Prevatt in Bean City over the weekend. The Rosendahls are leaving on the 15th for Laconia, N. H., where he operates a summer resort store.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Barnes, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Payton of Pahokee spent the day Sunday with Deputy and Mrs. Glibb Gross in Immokalee and attended morning church services.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hester, Mrs. Beth McCully of Lake Harbor and Mrs. Jesse Barnes attended Home Coming at Canal Point Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. J. A. Henderson of Lake Harbor and Mrs. Geo. DeVane

visited Mrs. Helen Broadrick in Barstow Sunday.

Mrs. R. E. Green of Tallahassee was the house guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Mead Willis Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

J. W. Warren and Curtis Miners have returned from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Warren and family in Macon, Ga.

Mrs. J. W. Warren is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bob Caldwell in Delhi, La.

Raymond Hall, who received a fractured arm and pelvis in an explosion on the Evans & Rogers Farm near Okechanta last week, is reported well improved and able to be up in a wheelchair at the Belle Glade Memorial Hospital.

H. C. Willis is reported recovering nicely from his recent illness.

Lt. Mabel Rashley, stationed in Michigan, visited her brother, Frank Rashley, and sister, Helen Anjina and their families in Clearwater recently.

Mrs. Signe Burney of Lake Worth visited her daughter, Mrs. Charles Byrd on Wednesday.

Mrs. Irene Dawson of West Palm Beach visited old friends and looked after property interests here recently.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Stevens are working in Immokalee in the spring packing plant. Principal shipments are watermelons, cantaloupes and tomatoes at present with cucumbers coming in shortly.

Mrs. Floyd Wilder

New President PTA

The Parent Teacher Association of South Bay conducted their final meeting of the year at the school auditorium on Monday evening.

Rev. John Cooper presented the devotionals.

Secretary Mrs. Frank Willis read the state president's letter of appreciation for the work of the association for the summer.

It was announced that preschool children, who are to enter the first grade this week to get acquainted.

The School Boy Patrol boys will have their annual spring picnic at Fishbeating Creek on Friday under direction of Chief R. C. White and Principal Pellon Morris.

The treasurer reported a balance of \$136.28 and \$75.00 was set aside for the purpose of school library books.

Mrs. Olga Hardy's third grade won the attendance prize for the month.

The Parent Teacher Association and Lions Club Corn Festival dinner at the auditorium on Friday night served 225 plates and it was estimated would net each organization approximately \$100.

Officers were elected for the coming year and installed by Mrs. E. D. H. Eckman. Mrs. Floyd Wilder, President; Mrs. Pellon Morris, first vice-president; Mrs. C. E. Crichfield, second vice-president; Mrs. Frank Willis, secretary; Mrs. Billy Rogers, treasurer; Mrs. Alton Goodbread, historian; Mrs. H. B. Walker, publicity chairman.

The hospitality committee. Mrs. Cecil Kersey, Mrs. Marvin Davis, Mrs. Sam Henderson and Mrs. D. N. Partain served cheese wafers, cake, coffee and feed tea.

PATROL BOYS FETTERED WITH PICKNIC OUTING

The School Boy Patrol of South Bay was entertained last Saturday at the annual outing and picnic at Fishbeating Creek, the crowning event of the school year for the boys who cheerfully give their time and service throughout the year to safeguard the young children in crossing the highway to school.

The Parent Teacher Association sponsored the outing. The patrol was accompanied by Chief of Police R. C. White and Principal Pellon Morris. They enjoyed the day exploring the rocks, swimming and fishing.

Boys enjoying the trip were Ray Clinard, John Willis, John Henry Little, Billy Miller, Bobby Willis, Danny Manga, Tommy Johnson, David White, Mike Challancin, Otis Farfornke and Ray Taylor.

VETERANS INFORMATION AND SERVICE

By Melvin T. Dixon, State Service Officer

No Reduction After Total Disability Rating Has Been In Effect 20 Years — Public Law 311, 83rd Congress, approved March 11, 1954, provides that a rating of total disability or permanent total disability which has been made for compensation, pension, or insurance purposes, and which has been continuously in force for 20 or more years shall not be reduced thereafter, except upon a showing that such rating was based on fraud.

NSLI Beneficiaries May Be Refunded Overpaid Premiums — Some insurance premiums paid on behalf of Korea service men who were first declared missing and later dead, may be available to beneficiaries as refunds.

Many servicemen now declared dead by the service department had government insurance premiums paid while they were in "missing in action" status in the Korean War by deduction from their service pay.

The beneficiary of the insurance is entitled to refund of premiums paid from the date of presumed death for insurance purposes to the date of declaration of death by the service departments, at which time military pay, and deductions therefrom, are discontinued. Refunds to beneficiaries are based on VA insurance regulations relative to disposition of unearned premiums.

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Outdoor Florida

I like to take in almost every subject under the sun in this "outdoor" column. So today we have a story about smoked fish, — by the man who turns out the most delicious smoked fish in Florida. You will find him, Capt. W. Hope Fagen, on the Causeway island at Fort Pierce, and it's always worth a stop to see him, and sample his fish, or perhaps to have your own fish smoked. Smoked fish to me is one of the world's most delicious delicacies. Now for Capt. Fagen's story.

My good friend, Herb Mosher, has requested me to guest column for him about smoked fish. Smoked fish is now my business, so a brief history of his smoking may interest his readers.

The practice of smoking fish goes back many hundreds of years in many parts of the world, since smoking was the pre-refrigerator way of preserving meat and fish.

In my native Volusia County, as a boy, I learned fishing from my boyhood hero, Monty Cone, a real primitive with all the lore of nature at his fingertips. I learned to knit cast-nets and cast them under his training.

But what I most remembered through the years was his smoked fish. He would build a hard wood fire to make a bed of coals, then lay green bay-wood on them. A barrel with removable top was set on the fire. The fish lay on chicken wire shelves in the barrel. What a pungent aroma came out of that barrel to whet our appetites for the feast we had after a few hours of smoking.

Memories of this lingered through my years of being a sea captain. Upon retiring, I came to Fort Pierce with this memory still fresh in my mind.

My knowledge of seasoning fish was acquired from my friend Count Arnaud, owner of a famous restaurant in New Orleans. Before starting smoking as a business I studied carefully the free pamphlets on curing and smoking fish, issued by the Dept. of Agriculture in Washington.

Found however, that in addition to the basic knowledge of curing and smoking that I had acquired, much practical experience was also necessary, and it was only by constant experimenting that I finally produced a superior product. I had to learn the hard way, by trial and error, that certain fish should be smoked in a hot smoker, while others are best when treated to a long, cold smoke, I

also found that many small fish are best smoked whole, while larger ones should be filleted. This old fashioned method of good smoking thoroughly cooks the fish. Barbecued fish, which means fish smoked for a few hours, should be eaten at once, while fish smoked the way I do keeps a long time and can be shipped anywhere.

This has proven a boon to fishermen hereabouts. They have found they can have their catches smoked, to be eaten here or carried back home where they can give visual proof of their fish stories. I am constantly asked "What fish are good for smoking?" Any edible fish, from a minnow to a whale" is my answer. "One example of this is the Crevalle Jack which abound in this region. Thousands of pounds of these fish were being thrown away, as no one had tried to smoke them. I did. Smoked with the proper seasoning, they are so good that many winter visitors try to catch them so that they can have me smoke them. The same is true of Channel Catfish, another fish that many folks cook for eating but never thought of smoking. There is a lot of waste to them, but the fillets, when smoked, are a great delicacy.

Another discovery I made concerned Jewfish. These had always been brought to me alive and butchered immediately. The parts I smoke are always in great demand. One day we processed a Jewfish on hand and found it was so good that I decided then that I would try to keep live Jewfish on hand and build a large pen in which to keep them. This led to something else. People were so fascinated by the sight of large live fish that it seemed a shame not to show them various species. I added several large singarapes, a drum, a bass, and suddenly my Jewfish pen turned into an aquarium, the only one in this vicinity. Soon I have a large turtle and maybe a Manatee. The State Conservation Board has given me permission to house them here.

The aquarium is for the public, so if any one has a large, unwounded live fish, he can find a good home for it here, and I promise to smoke it. Some day we may have tanks for small fish, but we haven't come to those yet.

COONVILLE FOLLIES

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High School Auditorium
By Lyle Clark

LOCAL LADIES JUDGE AT RHIBICUS SHOW

Mrs. Luther Jones, Mrs. Bert Hoppem and Mrs. R. Y. Creech, Sr., were judges at the Rhibicus Society Show, held Sunday at

St. Myers Beach. The theme of the show was "Know Your Rhibicus".

Others attending from Belle Glade were Mr. R. Y. Creech, Mrs. H. J. Howington, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Van Horn.

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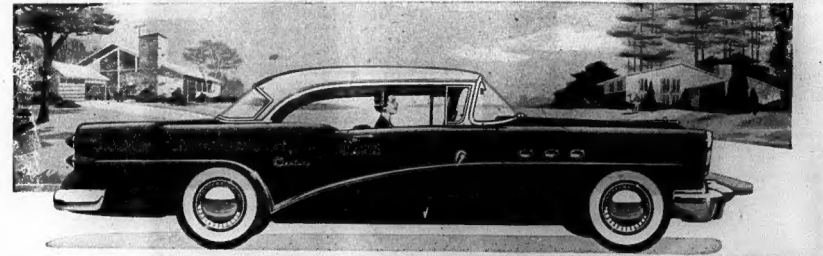
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